

December 30, 2021

Hon. Erica A. Barker, Secretary Postal Regulatory Commission 901 New York Avenue NW, Suite 200 Washington, D.C. 20268-0001

Dear Ms. Barker:

As required by 39 C.F.R. §§ 3030.160(b) and 3030.181(b), I am submitting the United States Postal Service's calculations for density rate authority and retirement rate authority. The calculations are presented in the attached Microsoft Excel file and are based on data submitted with the FY 2021 Annual Compliance Report. That Report, filed yesterday, shows that revenues did not cover attributable costs for two mail classes: Periodicals and Package Services.

The Postal Service intends to use these additional rate authorities, although precise decisions about how, and in what amounts, will be made by the Governors after the Commission formally determines how much of each rate authority is available. 39 C.F.R §§ 3030.160(c)(1) and 3030.181(c)(1).

Best regards,

/s/

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Enclosure